## STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION FORM FOR POLITICAL PARTY COMMITTEES

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signatures below shall serve as the signatures that verify the accuracy and completeness of each statement filed electronically by the					
committee. I/We certify that all reasonable diligence will be used in the preparation of each statement electronically filed by this					
committee and that the contents of each statement will be true, accurate and complete to the best of my/our knowledge or belief.					
(Sign Name and Date)					
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Please email, fax, mail, or hand deliver a signed copy of the Statement of Organization using one of the following methods:

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Fax: 517-335-3235

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RE: In re: Libertarian Party of Michigan, committee #002594

DelRio, Irene (MDOS) < DelRiol@michigan.gov>

Wed 7/26/2023 2:17 PM

To:Greg Black < gblack76@me.com>

Cc:treasurer@michiganlp.org <treasurer@michiganlp.org>;Chair LPMI <chair@michiganlp.org>;Secretary LNC <secretary@lp.org>;Angela McArdle <chair@lp.org>;Oliver Hall <Oliverbhall@gmail.com>;Joseph Zito <jzito@steinip.com>;Oscar Rodriguez <orodriguez@hooperhathaway.com>

Greg,

That is correct, I did not make changes to the treasurer's name. Now that you have access to the primary email, go ahead and use the old treasurer's last name. Then you should be able to go in and amend the Statement of Organization.

Sincerely,

Irene Del Rio-Mollitor Campaign Finance Analyst Bureau of Elections

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From: Greg Black <gblack76@me.com> Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2023 2:06 PM

To: DelRio, Irene (MDOS) < DelRiol@michigan.gov>

**Cc:** treasurer@michiganlp.org; Chair LPMI <chair@michiganlp.org>; Secretary LNC <secretary@lp.org>; Angela McArdle <chair@lp.org>; Oliver Hall <Oliverbhall@gmail.com>; Joseph Zito <jzito@steinip.com>; Oscar Rodriguez <orodriguez@hooperhathaway.com>

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It accepted the 2594. Now when I put my name in it says Black is not the current treasurer Greg

Sent from my iPhone

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Greg,

Please make sure you are not using the zeros for your committee number.

Sincerely,

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From: <u>Treasurer@michiganlp.org</u> <<u>gblack76@me.com</u>>

Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2023 1:36 PM

**To:** DelRio, Irene (MDOS) < <u>DelRiol@michigan.gov</u>>; 'Chair LPMI' < <u>chair@michiganlp.org</u>> **Cc:** 'Secretary LNC' < <u>secretary@lp.org</u>>; 'Angela McArdle' < <u>chair@lp.org</u>>; 'Oliver Hall'
< <u>oliverbhall@gmail.com</u>>; 'Joseph Zito' < <u>jzito@steinip.com</u>>; 'Oscar Rodriguez'

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Thank you for the quick response. I need to request the access code to amend our Statement of Organization. Also when I tried registering for MERTS software download I received the following error [ "The committee id must be an integer." ]

Please provide your committee's 6-digit ID number; e.g. 867530. When I put in out Committee Numer 002594

Greg

From: DelRio, Irene (MDOS) < DelRiol@michigan.gov >

**Sent:** Wednesday, July 26, 2023 1:26 PM **To:** Chair LPMI < <a href="mailto:chair@michiganlp.org">chair@michiganlp.org</a>>

**Cc:** Secretary LNC < secretary@lp.org>; Angela McArdle < chair@lp.org>; Oliver Hall < oliverbhall@gmail.com>; Joseph Zito < jzito@steinip.com>; Oscar Rodriguez < orodriguez@hooperhathaway.com>; Greg Black < gblack76@me.com>

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The changes have been made to the committee records. Anyone with access to that email address will be able to request an access code and MERTS passwords.

Sincerely,

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From: Chair LPMI < <a href="mailto:chair@michiganlp.org">chair@michiganlp.org</a>>
Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2023 1:16 PM

To: DelRio, Irene (MDOS) < DelRiol@michigan.gov >

Cc: Secretary LNC <secretary@lp.org>; Angela McArdle <chair@lp.org>; Oliver Hall <oliverbhall@gmail.com>; Joseph Zito <jzito@steinip.com>; Oscar Rodriguez <ord>rodriguez@hooperhathaway.com>; Greg Black <gblack76@me.com>

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Hello Ms. Del Rio-Mollitor,

Please use treasurer@michiganlp.org as the primary email address for the committee.

Will that update then allow Mr. Black (our treasurer, who receives email at that address) to retrieve an access code so that he can file a corrected statement of organization and ultimately the filing for the campaign finance report?

Thank you for your help.

## **Andrew Chadderdon**

Chair

Libertarian Party of Michigan

Mobile: 248-894-8057

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On Jul 26, 2023, at 12:28 PM, "DelRio, Irene (MDOS)" < delrioi@michigan.gov > wrote:

After speaking with my supervisor and receiving confirmation from the organization I can proceed with updating your committee email address. Can you provide me with the primary email address you would like to use for the committee?

Sincerely,

Irene Del Rio-Mollitor Campaign Finance Analyst Bureau of Elections

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From: Secretary LNC < secretary@lp.org>
Sent: Tuesday, July 25, 2023 2:52 PM

To: DelRio, Irene (MDOS) < DelRiol@michigan.gov>

**Cc:** Angela McArdle <<u>chair@lp.org</u>>; Oliver Hall <<u>Oliverbhall@gmail.com</u>>; Joseph Zito <<u>izito@steinip.com</u>>; Oscar Rodriguez <<u>orodriguez@hooperhathaway.com</u>>; Greg Black

<gblack76@me.com>; Chair LPMI <chair@michiganlp.org>

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Correction Ms. Del Rio-Molitto: The correct website address for our affiliate is <u>michiganlp.org</u> not <u>lpmichigan.org</u>. I had it reversed. Apologies for that.

The imposter website is michiganlp.net.

In Liberty, Caryn Ann Harlos
LNC Secretary and LP Historical Preservation Committee Chair ~ 561.523.2250

On Tue, Jul 25, 2023 at 12:39 PM Secretary LNC < secretary@lp.org > wrote:

Ms. Del Rio-Mollitor:

Thank you for speaking with me. As discussed, I am the National Secretary of the Libertarian National Committee and the national Libertarian Party. I have copied the national Party Chair, Angela McArdle, and the Chair of our recognized Michigan affiliate, Mr. Andrew Chadderdon. You spoke earlier with Greg Black, whom I can confirm is the recognized Treasurer for our Michigan affiliate. As you can see, Mr. Chadderdon has the institutional email address of Ipmichigan.org. If you visit the official Libertarian Party website at <a href="https://www.lp.org/state-affiliates/">https://www.lp.org/state-affiliates/</a> and click on Michigan, you will see that it directs to that domain and lists Mr. Chadderdon and Mr. Black in their respective offices. The website of Ipmichgian.net is unauthorized to represent the Libertarian Party.

It is my understanding you have referred this matter to the state attorneys for review, and I wanted to make myself available for any information the national Libertarian Party can provide to expedite this situation.

In brief, a group of unrecognized rogue actors attempted to seize control of the Libertarian Party of Michigan and before the recognized Board could do anything about it, took control of the state campaign filing passwords and made unauthorized changes. This rogue group is currently being sued in Federal court by the Libertarian National Committee for violation of trademark for illegitimately claiming to be the Libertarian Party of Michigan (Case No. 23-cv-11074, US District Court, Eastern District of Michigan). All of our internal processes have recognized the board of the Libertarian Party of Michigan as that chaired by Mr. Andrew Chadderdon with Gregory Black as Treasurer.

We are concerned about an untimely filing caused by this lack of access and any fees which may be levied as well as running candidates in the upcoming election season.

## Also copied above is:

Oliver Hall, Esq. the general counsel for the Libertarian National Committee Joseph Zito, Esq. trademark counsel for the Libertarian National Committee Oscar Rodriguez, Esq. trademark local counsel for the Libertarian National Committee and counsel for Andrew Chadderdon

My personal phone number is 561.523.2250, and I can be reached at any time.

In Liberty, Caryn Ann Harlos

LNC Secretary and LP Historical Preservation Committee Chair ~ 561.523.2250